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Financial Permaculture: Greening a Rural American Community

October 24-28 Hohenwald, Tennessee

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Thank you for your interest in the Financial Permaculture Course!

This PDF will provide you with the information you need to register for the course, reserve accommodations and travel arrangements. We've also provided answers to other frequently asked questions.

Next Steps:

1. Check out financialpermaculture.com to find out about this historic event. On this site you can find information about the instructors, event description, facilitators, community organizations involved and much more! Also check out financialpermaculture.org for blog postings on the topic of Financial Permaculture.
2. Carefully read over this e-mail so that you can be clear about event logistics.
3. Contact 888-878-2434 x2 or e-mail info@financialpermaculture.com with any questions you have.
4. Book accommodations and travel - Please fill out page 6 of this PDF to confirm your plans.
5. Course Registration Options (if you have not yet sent in your deposit):
 - a. Print and fill out page 7 of this PDF and mail it and your deposit (check or money order) to:
Center for Holistic Ecology
Financial Permaculture Course
PO Box 451
Hohenwald, TN 38462
 - b. Go to http://www.financialpermaculture.com/Living_Mandala/Registration.html and register using Paypal, Visa or Master Card.
 - c. Call 888-878-2434 x2 and register over the phone with your Visa or Master Card.

Once we receive your deposit we will send you a confirmation e-mail. We may include this logistical information again, just to ensure that you have all the details you need to plan your trip. When we receive your final payment we'll send you a confirmation by snail mail.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

MEALS:

**Your tuition covers lunches Friday October 24 through Tuesday October 28
You will receive your lunch coupons at the registration table.**

Lunch: You will be able to use the lunch coupons at participating businesses, which include the following restaurants: Athens Steakhouse, Big John's BBQ, Buffalo River Coffee Company, City Cafe, General Cafe, Junk Yard Dog, Rio Colorado, Rio Grande, Rong Garden, Snappy's Pizza, The Emporium, and The Stuffed Sub. We will be happy to make recommendations and to coordinate social opportunities for travelers attending the course alone.

Breakfast and Dinner (not included in tuition): You can choose among the above restaurants along with purchasing food from: www.nashvillefarmersmarket.org before you arrive, or from specialty food stores in Hohenwald: C&C Natural Foods and Juices, Yoder's Homestead Market, Troyers Home Bakery or from one of our three grocery stores.

ACCOMMODATIONS:

The following recommended lodging options will have free shuttles running to and from the event in the morning and evening. During the day, there will be taxis available for approximately \$5/ride.

EMBASSY INN 1/2 mile from event

A modern 23 room motel conveniently located in downtown Hohenwald, Embassy Inn is a short walk to shopping or restaurants. Rooms include two Jacuzzi suites. One section is completely non-smoking and two rooms allow pets. The smoking rooms are odor free. Check in time is 11:00 a.m. and check out is 3:00 p.m. **Cost of rooms = \$50-\$60/night.** Phone: 931-796-1500 Fax: 931-796-0500. Email: hohenwaldembinn@yahoo.com, Address: 235 E Main St; Hohenwald.

GOODENOUGH INN 2 miles from event

A little Ma and Pa Operation owned by Willis and Susan Goodenough and nestled in the Middle Tennessee hills. There are 8 clean and comfortable units. All rooms have wireless internet access. Rates include a complimentary continental breakfast to get your morning started. **Cost of rooms = \$45-\$55/night.** Phone: 931-796-2501 Email: goodenoughinn@bellsouth.net. Website: www.goodenoughinn.com Address: 699 Centerville Hwy.; Hohenwald.

FALL HOLLOW VILLAGE 8 miles from event

Enjoy the peaceful sights and sounds of the countryside along beautiful Swan Creek. Hiking and canoeing are just minutes away. RV hookups with electric and water, primitive camping, bath houses with hot showers, dump station, and two motel style rooms with two double beds each are available. Located just off the Natchez Trace Parkway, mile marker 391, Highway 412 exit to Hohenwald and Columbia. 70 miles south of Nashville. **Cost = \$5/person for camping or \$22/night for RV.** For more information call Bill and Kathy Roper at Phone: 931-796-1480. Website: www.fallhollow.com Address: 1329 Columbia Highway, Hohenwald.

Natchez Trace Wilderness Preserve (Cabins)

THOUSAND TRAILS CAMPGROUND 12 miles from event

The 830 acre recreation area contains lakes, cabins, camper hookups and recreational areas. Located right off the scenic Natchez Trace Parkway, this forested preserve features a large lake, complete with marina and fishing boat and canoe rentals. **Cost of cabins \$45-\$110/night and camping is \$15-\$24/night.** Phone: 931-796-3211. Website: <http://www.1000trails.com/getaways/tennessee/index.asp> Address: 1363 Napier Rd.; Hohenwald.

RIDGETOP BED & BREAKFAST 19 miles from event

Set in 175 acres of woods, Ridgetop has streams, trails, bird-watching or just resting. There is an 1830s log cabin with a real working fireplace, a Swiss-styled cottage and a guestroom in the main house decorated with Victorian antiques. Ridgetop Bed and Breakfast is located just five minutes from the Natchez Trace and fifteen minutes from Hohenwald. A full hot breakfast is served in the main house for all guests. Children and pets welcome. **Cost is \$85-\$105/night.** Contact Kay. Phone: 800-377-2770, Email: natcheztrace@bellsouth.net Website: www.bbonline.com/ridgetop

Setting up your Accommodations:

1. Please contact the hotel or camping facility directly to make your reservations. Let them know that you are a part of the October Hohenwald Summit.
2. Once you have your accommodations and travel itinerary reserved - please fill out the form on the last page of this PDF and mail it to: Center for Holistic Ecology, PO Box 451, Hohenwald, TN 38462 or e-mail it to: info@holisticceology.org

ADDITIONAL ACCOMMODATIONS (there are NO shuttles guaranteed from these locations)

MERIWETHER LEWIS 6 miles from event

Operated by the National Park Service, the campground offers drinking water and restroom facilities. Miles of scenic hiking trails, cool flowing streams, overlooks and historic points of interest are located in the Park. For more information, contact the Natchez Trace Parkway. No Reservations - 32 sites. On the Parkway mile post 385.9, Phone: 601-662-8025, TN General Campground Info: 1-800-462-8366, TN State Park Information: 1-888-867-2757, Website: www.nps.gov/natr/index.htm, Address: 189 Meriwether Lewis Park; Hohenwald,

MANY CEDARS CAMPGROUNDS & TRAIL RIDE 14 miles from event

A horse lover's ideal getaway, horseback riding trails cover 3200 acres through the Tennessee countryside, including views of the Buffalo River. Livery stables are available on site. There are 70 large, shaded campsites with electric and water hookup. The trails are open February through October. Five cabins are available year round. Facilities include a General Store, which serves breakfast by reservation, access to the Buffalo River, an amphitheater, dump stations, a pavilion and bath houses. Reservations are suggested. Phone: 931-796-4384, Email: manycedars@hifo.net, Website: <http://www.manycedarscamp.com/> Address: 233 Pollock Cemetery Road, Hohenwald TN 38462.

THE INN AT THE FARM 17 miles from event

The Eco-Hostel at The Farm is located within the center of The Farm, on of the nation's most successful intentional communities. It is in the heart of the Ecovillage Training Center, and home to Gaia University. Cost \$20-\$50/night and camping available for less. Phone: 931-964-4474 Email: inn@thefarm.org Website: www.thefarm.org/inn Address: 184 Schoolhouse Road, Summertown Tennessee 38483-0090. For additional camping and bed and breakfast's on the Farm Community call 931-964-3574.

COMMODORE HOTEL-LINDEN 18 miles from event

A Linden landmark brought back to life. The Staley Building, built in 1939 as a hotel, is enjoying a comeback after 30 dormant years. **\$69-\$109/night, group rates available.** Phone: 931-589-3224 Email: info@commodorehotellinden.com Website: <http://www.commodorehotellinden.com/> Address: 114 E Main Street; Linden, TN 37096.

YOU MAY ALSO GOOGLE ADDITIONAL ACCOMMODATIONS IN COLUMBIA, LINDEN, WAYNESBORO, SUMMERTOWN

TRAVEL: (note that we are in central time zone)

Traveling all the way to Hohenwald on foot, bike or by car?

1. Please use mapquest from start location to the address of your chosen accommodations or directly to the event:
First United Methodist Church, 200 South Court Street, Hohenwald, TN 38462
2. You can check our website for ride share options: financialpermaculture.com

Traveling by Greyhound bus or plane to Nashville?

1. Below, you will find basic information about arriving into Nashville
2. To get from Nashville to Hohenwald (80 miles), you have 3 options:
 - 1) Search our website for ride share options: financialpermaculture.com
 - 2) Rent a car (consider ride share posting)
 - 3) Take a shuttle

ARRIVING TO NASHVILLE

If you are arriving by plane or bus Nashville is the closest destination. It is about 70-80 miles from Nashville to our selected hotels.

BY PLANE: Please fly into Nashville International Airport - BNA

Airport Authority • One Terminal Drive Suite 501 • Nashville, TN 37214 • www.nashintl.com (615) 275-1600

BY BUS: www.greyhound.com * 200 8th Ave S, Nashville, TN 37203, (615) 255-3556

To get information, directions, and reviews on Greyhound Bus Lines visit citysearch.com

Airport Hotel:

There is a Red Roof Inn just outside of the airport. Red Roof Inn #206 Nashville Airport I-40 at Donelson Pike, Exit #216/ #216-C, 510 Claridge Drive, Nashville, TN, 37214, Phone: (615) 872-0735 Fax: (615) 871-4647

If you need a cab: Allied Cab 6430 Charlotte Avenue, Nashville, TN 37209, 615-244-7433

Local bus transportation: Main Office Metropolitan Transit Authority - Nashville, TN

130 Nestor Street, Nashville, TN 37210-2124, Phone: (615) 862-5969 www.nashvillemta.org

Rental Cars from the Nashville BNA Airport

Alamo	615-361-7467	800-462-5266	www.alamo.com
Avis	615-361-1212	800-331-1212	www.avis.com
Budget	615-366-0822	800-527-0700	www.budget.com
Dollar	615-367-0503	800-800-4000	www.dollar.com
Enterprise	615-275-0011	800-736-8222	www.enterprise.com
Hertz	615-361-3131	800-654-3131	www.hertz.com
National	615-361-7467	800-227-7368	www.nationalcar.com
Thrifty	615-361-6050	800-367-2277	www.thrifty.com

Shuttles from Nashville to Hohenwald:

COST = \$50/person/trip

GETTING HERE//There will be shuttles available from the Nashville BNA International Airport to Hohenwald:
Thursday, October 23:

2 PM

4 PM

6 PM

(Shuttle can take you directly to your accommodations or to town)

The course begins at 9 AM Friday October 24

Registration opens at 7 AM (you can register early and then have breakfast in town)

GETTING BACK//There will be shuttles available from Hohenwald to the Nashville BNA International Airport:
Tuesday, October 28

aprx. 4 PM (for US flights after 7:30 PM and International flights after 8:30 PM)

- The course ends around 3:30 PM Tuesday October 28

Wednesday, October 29

aprx. 8 AM (for US flights after 11:30 AM and International flights after 12:30 PM)

aprx. 10 AM (for US flights after 1:30 PM and International flights after 2:30 PM)

To arrange a shuttle: please call 1-877-479-5483 or you can email Dana Teeple at dana@anytimetransport.com. You will need to provide Dana with your travel itinerary and selected shuttle time and destination. Let Dana know you're with the Hohenwald Summit. If you wish to organize a shuttle other than our designated times, you can do so by contacting Dana and paying him directly. Private shuttle prices will vary between \$40-\$140/person depending on the number of travelers in your party.

Need a lift once you're in Hohenwald?

1. Local shuttles will be available for free from the following locations to downtown Hohenwald:

EMBASSY INN

THOUSAND TRAILS CAMPGROUND

GOODENOUGH INN

RIDGETOP BED & BREAKFAST

FALL HOLLOW VILLAGE

2. Shuttles from these accommodations will run to Hohenwald approximately every 30 minutes from 7 AM to 8:30 AM
This service will begin Friday morning October 24 and will end Tuesday morning October 28

3. Shuttles will leave from Hohenwald to your accommodations approximately every 30 minutes from 7 PM to 9 PM
This service begins Friday evening October 24 and ends Monday evening October 27

4. Local Taxi Service will be available for approximately \$5-\$10 within a 20 mile radius.

This Taxi Service will be operating from 4 PM Thursday, October 23 through 11 AM Wednesday, October 29

(You will receive a shuttle schedule and phone number for Taxi Service when you check into your accommodations)

5. We will have a message board for ride shares and will create social opportunities to facilitate ride sharing.

OCTOBER 24 - 28 DRAFT ITINERARY

Friday		Saturday		Sunday		Monday		Tuesday	
9-10 am	Thomas on Abundance Consciousness	9-10 am	Orientation to Design Process and Safe Space	9-10 am	Check-in	9-10 am	Check-in	8-9 am	Check-in
10-11 am	Starting and Financing a Business	10-12:30	Simulation	10-12:30	Students hash out details of design	10-12:30	Students hash out details of design	9-11	Students prepare final design
11-12:30	Financial Ecosystems								11-1 pm
12:30-2 pm	Lunch	12:30-2 pm	Lunch	12:30-2 pm	Lunch	12:30-2 pm	Lunch	1-2 pm	Lunch
2-5:30 pm	Open Space	2-5:30 pm	Simulation	2-5:30 pm	Students hash out design	2-5:30 pm	Students hash design	2-4	Evaluation
5:30-6:30	Dinner	5:30-7 pm	Dinner	5:30-7 pm	Dinner	5:30-7 pm	Dinner	Saturday's simulation will be led by Catherine and will be open to local participants. Sun-Tues. will be led by each theme instructor and will have only course participants.	
6:30-7	Financial Ecosystems	7-9 pm	Open Space with extra advertising on Ethanol	7-9 pm	Investment Circles	7-9 pm	Panel – Successful Town Models		
7-7:30	Integration								
7:30-8:30	World Café on Waste								
8:30-9	Reflection								
9-10 pm	Internet Café and Networking	9-10 pm	Internet Café and Networking	9-10 pm	Internet Café and Networking	9-10 pm	Internet Café and Networking		

Jennifer and Greg	Catherine	Andy, Liora, Albert	All 4-5 Instructors – Open Space	Ensemble – All Facilitators & Instructors
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Open space means that each instructor will have their own room and guests will self-select which talk they want to attend. Event organizers will pre-select the spaces based on results from pre-event outreach. We assume that the theme they pre-select will determine the team they are in for the simulation.

All day Friday and Saturday, all evening presentations and the Tuesday panel session will be open to the Lewis County public. All evening presentations are open to the general public. We will reach out to Lewis County and TN residents to attend these sessions.

DETAILS ABOUT THE EVENT

EVENT LOCATION: First United Methodist Church, 200 South Court Street, Hohenwald, TN 38462
REGISTRATION OPENS: 7 AM Friday, October 24 *

EVENT START TIME: 9 AM Friday, October 24 **EVENT END TIME:** Around 3:30 or 4 PM Tuesday, October 28

* At registration you will receive: final itinerary, course packet, handouts from instructors, map of Hohenwald, lunch coupons and name tag. Please note that tea, coffee and filtered water will be available throughout the event.

RECOMMENDED READING LIST: Please see our website at financialpermaculture.com for books and you will receive a link to audio seminars once you send in your deposit.

THINGS TO BRING: Be prepared for our average weather conditions in the mid 40's to mid 60's. The event will be held downtown, be prepared to walk 2-4 blocks for meals and shopping. Aside from your personal belongings, we *highly* recommend bringing the following items: personal computer with wireless internet, flash drive, cell phone, notebooks, pens, business cards, personal water bottle and umbrella. We also recommend: camera, video recorder, audio recorder, business brochures/fliers, favorite finance, business or permaculture books, and personal low impact eating kit (cloth napkin and carry out container).

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Please take a few moments and complete this form so that we can provide you with exceptional service!

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Name: _____ Please indicate names of anyone accompanying you: _____
Address: _____ Phone #: _____
E-mail: _____ Website: _____
Business: _____ Profession: _____

How did you hear about the event?

Will you need any handicap assistance or do you have special needs?

Any additional comments?

DESIGN TEAM:

During the event you will be placed into a team from Sunday-Tuesday to co-design a business plan. Please indicate your top 3 team choices by placing a 1-2-3 in the space provided with the 1 being your first preference.

___ Ethanol Production & Distribution ___ Community Kitchen, Farmers & Artisans Market/Cooperative
___ Recycling & Salvage Businesses ___ Building & Permaculture Designer Association & Supply Center
___ Green Incubation Business

We will do our absolute best to provide you with your first selection. Please check the following option:

___ I am only interested in attending my first choice because I am invested in creating a similar business
___ I am flexible with attending any of the choices I've indicated

ACCOMMODATIONS & TRAVEL:

Where do you intend to stay? _____ Please check following options if they apply:

___ Yes, I will take advantage of the free shuttles offered from the recommended accommodations
___ Yes, I will need to utilize the local taxi service

Please indicate how you intend to arrive:

___ I am driving, ___ yes, I can offer ride share, ___ no, I will be unable to offer ride share

___ I am arriving into Nashville by ___ plane (BNA airport) ___ bus (Greyhound)

Once in Nashville I am: ___ renting a car, ___ yes, I can offer ride share, ___ no, I will be unable to offer ride share

___ I will find a ride

___ I will take the shuttle on:

_____ date, at _____ time and the return shuttle on: _____ date, at _____ time

We are going to try to calculate our carbon footprint and do an offset.

To help with this calculation please answer these questions to the best of your ability:

___ I am walking or biking ___ I am riding with someone else in their vehicle

I am driving _____ miles and my vehicle has _____ passengers (names) _____

I am driving with an alternative vehicle or fuel, please indicate: _____

I am flying on ___ an international flight, ___ continental flight, ___ flight less than 500 miles

I am coming by bus from _____ state.

Thank you! Please mail (print in B&W) or e-mail this information to the contact information below:

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REGISTRATION FORM

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financialpermaculture.com

Please take a few moments and complete this form so that we can register you effectively!

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Name: _____	Number of people in your party: _____
Address: _____	Phone #: _____
E-mail: _____	Website: _____
Business: _____	Profession: _____
How did you hear about the event? (please be specific): Any additional comments?	

PAYMENT INFORMATION:

To register for the event you must send a \$100 deposit. Deposit is non-refundable after September 24. You must register for all 5 days.

Early Registration Course Prices: TN Resident: \$450 NON-TN Resident: \$500

To receive the early registration discount you must pay in full by October 10.

Late Registration Course Price: TN Resident: \$500 NON-TN Resident: \$750

Because this is such a community event, we are reducing the price for local residents to encourage the successful development of local businesses designed during the course.

PLEASE INDICATE YOUR PAYMENT OPTION:

I am sending a check or money order I am paying by credit card (an additional 3% charge will apply)

Name on Card: _____ Card Type: Visa or MC? Card Expiration Date: _____

Billing Address: _____

Card Number: _____ 3 Digit Code on back: _____

PLEASE INDICATE THE PRICE AND QUANTITY OF YOUR PURCHASE:

I am going to start with the \$100 deposit for now. I am also paying the deposit for _____ other people.

I am a TN Resident and wish to pay the full \$450. I am also paying the full price for _____ other TN Residents.

I am not a TN Resident and I wish to pay the full \$500. I am also paying the full price for _____ other people.

Note that you get \$25 back for every additional person you register when **ALL** are paid in full.
(Example - if you are paying in full for a total of 4 people at the \$500 price, you would get \$75 off the \$2000 price - giving you a total price of \$1925)

Please list the names and contact information of any additional registrants:

Thank you! Please mail (print in B&W) or e-mail this information to the contact information below: